

the President be notified of the Senate's action and the Senate then return to legislative session.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### ORDER FOR STAR PRINT—S. 3 AND S. 10

Mr. LOTT. I ask unanimous consent, Mr. President, that S. 3 and S. 10 be star printed with the changes that I understand are at the desk.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### REMOVAL OF INJUNCTION OF SECRECY—TREATY DOCUMENT NO. 105-2

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, as in executive session, I ask unanimous consent that the injunction of secrecy be removed from the following treaty transmitted to the Senate on January 28, 1997, by the President of the United States: Taxation Treaty with Thailand, Treaty Document No. 105-2; I further ask unanimous consent the treaty be considered as having been read the first time; that it be referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and ordered to be printed; and that the President's message be printed in the RECORD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The message of the President is as follows:

#### *To the Senate of the United States:*

I transmit herewith for Senate advice and consent to ratification the Convention Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with Respect to Taxes on Income, signed at Bangkok, November 26, 1996. An enclosed exchange of notes, transmitted for the information of the Senate, provides clarification with respect to the application of the Convention in specified cases. Also transmitted is the report of the Department of State concerning the Convention.

This Convention, which is similar to other tax treaties between the United States and developing nations, provides maximum rates of tax to be applied to various types of income and protection from double taxation of income. The Convention also provides for the exchange of information to prevent fiscal evasion and sets forth standard rules to limit the benefits of the Convention to persons that are not engaged in treaty shopping.

I recommend that the Senate give early and favorable consideration to this Convention and give its advice and consent to ratification.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, January 28, 1997.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to

the Senate by Mr. Williams, one of his secretaries.

#### EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages from the President of the United States submitting a treaty and sundry nominations which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The nominations received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-847. A communication from the Administrator of the Agriculture Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to shelled almonds, (FV-95-305) received on January 21, 1997; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-848. A communication from the Congressional Review Coordinator of the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to brucellosis in cattle, (96-005-2) received on January 21, 1997; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-849. A communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on foreign policy export controls and the Bureau of Export Administration's annual report for fiscal year 1996; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-850. A communication from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the administration of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 for calendar year 1993; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-851. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information, transmitting, pursuant to law, a rule concerning the Telecommunications and Information Infrastructure Assistance Program (RIN0660-ZA02) received on January 21, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-852. A communication from the Office of the Chairman of the Surface Transportation Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the revision of regulations for interlocking rail officers received on January 17, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-853. A communication from the Chair of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on Government dam use charges; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-854. A communication from the Director of the Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, six rules including a rule entitled "The Acid Rain Program" (FRL5679-9, 5678-1, 5677-6, 5677-5, 5675-7, 5671-6) received on January 21, 1997; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-855. A communication from the Director of the Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, a rule entitled "Endangered Status For 2CA Insects" (RIN1018-AC50) received on January 22, 1997;

to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-856. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to Revenue Ruling 97-7, received on January 22, 1997; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-857. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to Foreign Corporations, received on January 22, 1997; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-858. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to medicaid eligibility, (RIN0938-AH76) received on January 17, 1997; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-859. A communication from the Chief of Staff, Officer of the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of rule relative to growth impairment listings, (RIN0960-AE60) received on January 17, 1997; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-860. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on the Taxation of Social Security and Railroad Retirement Benefits for 1992; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-861. A communication from the Chairman of the Thrift Depositor Protection Oversight Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report on audit and investigative activities for fiscal year 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-862. A committee from the Executive Director of the Committee for Purchase from People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to the Procurement List, received on January 22, 1997; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-863. A communication from the Chairman of the Board of Governors, United States Postal Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report under the Government in the Sunshine Act for calendar year 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-864. A communication from the Postmaster General, Chief Executive Officer, United States Postal Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the 1996 annual report; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-865. A communication from the Director of the Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to the Presidential Management Intern Program, (RIN 3206-AH53) received on January 22, 1997; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-866. A communication from the Director of Administration and Management, Office of the Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Pentagon; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-867. A communication from the Deputy Under Secretary (Industrial Affairs and Installations) for Acquisition and Technology, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on the National Defense Stockpile (NDS) for fiscal year 1996; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-868. A communication from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Office of Thrift Supervision, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled, "Regulatory Citations to Uniform Financial Institutions Rating System" (RIN1550-AA99), received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-869. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on Open

Dumps on Indian Lands; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

EC-870. A communication from the Administrator of the U.S. Agency for International Development transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on Development Assistance Program Allocations for fiscal year 1997; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-871. A communication from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State transmitting the report of the texts of international agreements, other than treaties, and background statements; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-872. A communication from the Director of the Office Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to refinancing loans (RIN2900-AH90) received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Veterans Affairs.

EC-873. A communication from the Deputy Associate Director for Compliance, Royalty Management Program, Minerals Management Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, notice of the intention to make refunds of offshore lease revenues where a refund or recoupment is appropriate; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-874. A communication from the Director of the Office of Insular Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report, entitled "The Impact of the Compacts of Free Association on the United States Territories and Commonwealths and on the State of Hawaii"; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-875. A communication from the Director of the Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to approval and promulgation of implementation plans (FRL5649-6) received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-876. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to direct grant programs (RIN1880-AA61) received on January 24, 1997; to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources.

EC-877. A communication from the Administrator of the Farm Service Agency, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to the Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (RIN0560-AE85) received on January 22, 1997; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-878. A communication from the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Farm Credit Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to eligibility and scope of financing (RIN3052-AB10) received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-879. A communication from the Attorney General of the United States transmitting a report relative to Medicare and Medicaid Acts; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-880. A communication from the Chief of Staff, Office of the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of rule relative to institutionalized children (RIN0960-AE61) received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-881. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to Federal Grants (RIN1545-AU93) received on January 24, 1997; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-882. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to Controlled Foreign Corporation (RIN1545-AO73) received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-883. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary of State, Legislative Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a certification regarding the incidental capture of sea turtles in commercial shrimping operations; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-884. A communication from the Chairman of the Surface Transportation Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to Ex Parte No. 541 received on January 22, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-885. A communication from the Acting Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on assistance provided to foreign aviation authorities for fiscal year 1996; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-886. A communication from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of 30 rules including one rule relative to Airworthiness Directives (RIN2120-AA64, AA65, AA66) received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-887. A communication from the Acting Deputy Assistant Administrator of the National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of rule relative to the Farallones National Marine Sanctuary (RIN0648-XX79) received on January 24, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-888. A communication from the Acting Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of rule relative to the American Lobster Fishery Management Plan (RIN0648-AI83) received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-889. A communication from the Acting Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of rule relative to the American Sea Scallop Fishery Management Plan (RIN0648-AI77) received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-890. A communication from the Acting Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to the Northeast Multispecies Fishery Management Plan (RIN0648-AJ31) received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-891. A communication from the Managing Director of the Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to FM broadcast stations, received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

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EC-897. A communication from the Managing Director of the Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to maritime communications, received on January 23, 1997; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-898. A communication from the Secretary of the Mississippi River Commission, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report under the Government in the Sunshine Act for calendar year 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-899. A communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the list of General Accounting Office reports and testimony for December 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-900. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-901. A communication from the Deputy Director of the Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule relative to prevailing rate systems (RIN3206-AH59); to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-902. A communication from the Administrator of the Panama Canal Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-903. A communication from the Chairman of the National Endowment for the Humanities, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-904. A communication from the Chairman of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report under the Sunshine Act for 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-905. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-348 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-906. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to

law, copies of D.C. Act 11-362 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-907. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-381 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-908. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-438 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-909. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-441 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-910. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-442 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-911. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-443 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-912. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-452 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-913. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-453 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-914. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-455 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-915. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-460 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-916. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-461 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-917. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-462 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-918. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-463 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-919. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-490 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-920. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-493 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-921. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the Dis-

trict of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-494 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-922. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-496 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-923. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-497 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-924. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-500 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-925. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-501 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-926. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-502 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-927. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-503 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-928. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-504 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-929. A communication from the Chairman Pro Tempore of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, copies of D.C. Act 11-506 adopted by the Council on January 24, 1996; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. CHAFEE, from the Committee on Environment and Public Works, without amendment:

S. Res. 26. A resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. ROTH, from the Committee on Finance, without amendment:

S. Res. 27. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. D'AMATO, from the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without amendment:

S. Res. 28. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. MCCAIN, from the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without amendment:

S. Res. 29. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. SHELBY, from the Select Committee on Intelligence, without amendment:

S. Res. 30. A resolution authorizing expenditures by the Select Committee on Intelligence.

By Mr. WARNER, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, without amendment:

S. Res. 31. A resolution providing for members on the part of the Senate of the Joint Committee on Printing and the Joint Committee of Congress on the Library.

S. Res. 32. A resolution to authorize the printing of a collection of the rules of the committees of the Senate.

## EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. D'AMATO, from the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:

Alan M. Hantman, of New Jersey, to be Architect of the Capitol for the term of 10 years.

By Mr. WARNER, from the Committee on Rules and Administration:

Andrew M. Cuomo, of New York, to be Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

(The above nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed, subject to the nominees' commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.)

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. INOUE:

S. 204. A bill for the relief of Dogan Umur Evans; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FRIST (for himself and Mr. ALLARD):

S. 205. A bill to eliminate certain benefits for Members of Congress, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. REID:

S. 206. A bill to prohibit the application of the Religious Freedom Restoration Act of 1993, or any amendment made by such act, to an individual who is incarcerated in a Federal, State, or local correctional, detention, or penal facility, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MCCAIN (for himself, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. KERRY, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. COATS, Mr. GLENN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, and Mr. BROWNBACK):

S. 207. A bill to review, reform, and terminate unnecessary and inequitable Federal subsidies; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. BOND:

S. 208. A bill to provide Federal contracting opportunities for small business concerns located in historically underutilized business zones, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. BREAUX:

S. 209. A bill to increase the penalty for trafficking in powdered cocaine to the same level as the penalty for trafficking in crack cocaine, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MURKOWSKI (for himself and Mr. AKAKA):

S. 210. A bill to amend the Organic Act of Guam, the Revised Organic Act of the Virgin Islands, and the Compact of Free Association Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. WELLSTONE:

S. 211. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend the period of time for